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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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Appln. No.: 10/069,933 Examiner: R. Abelson

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For: DATA TRANSMISSION APPARATUS, DATA RECEIVING
APPARATUS, AND DATA TRANSMITTING-RECEIVING METHOD

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

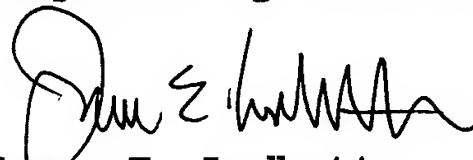
Applicants wish to thank the examiner for the courtesy extended to their representative during the examiner-initiated telephone interview conducted on January 6, 2006.

Claims 1, 2, and 7 were discussed during the interview. With respect to claims 1 and 7, the meaning of the term "regenerating" was discussed in relation to the disclosure provided in the specification. With respect to claim 2, the manner of identifying packets lost in communication, based on information provided by packets that were received, was discussed; regarding lines 6 and 11, it was discussed whether "are" should be replaced by "will be." Also, with respect to claim 2, the feature of deciding whether a lost packet may be retrieved prior to its expected regeneration

time was discussed in relation to the feature of submitting a request for the lost packet.

If any issues remain which may best be resolved through a telephone communication, the examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned at the local Washington, D.C. telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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